

RESOLUTION NUMBER 220
HONORING TERRELL EVANS

WHEREAS, Terrell “Young Dip” Evans used his experience as a popular radio host, promoter and community activate to take an idea he had to celebrate the city, to create a holiday for everyone to share. It is the vision of Young Dip to make 314Day the official St. Louis Homecoming weekend; and

WHEREAS, Evans grew passionate about making 314Day being a day to give back as well because of his life experiences as a foster child and volunteering with various organizations over the year. 314Day was once just a vision. Today it is a holiday celebrated by corporate, community and individuals here and beyond; and

WHEREAS, Evans has pointed out that St. Louis has an Arch, two mighty rivers, hundreds of parks, professional sports teams, a symphony, repertory theaters and a prolific music and arts scene, and a myriad of other adventures and activities that also define St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, while there are multiple ways to enjoy St. Louis, 314Day is one thing many agree on. It is a day to celebrate St. Louis.

WHEREAS, St. Louis has been celebrated 314 Day for more than fifteen years after being founded by Terrell “Young Dip” Evans” and Tatum Polk. The celebration continues to grow larger, louder, and more diverse with each passing year as the Founders now partner with the entire region to celebrate St. Louis.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize Terrell “Young Dip” Evans one of the founders 20of 314Day that brings hometown pride to the citizens of St. Louis in their city. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the Minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented to her at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced this 11th day of March, 2022 by:
The Honorable Shameem Clark-Hubbard, Alderwoman 26th Ward

Adopted this 11th day of March, 2022 as attested by:

Terry Kennedy
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis Reed
President, Board of Aldermen